GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – MA&UD Department - Tenali Municipality – Institution of Lokayukta Complaint No.3024/2012/B2, filed by Sri G.Suryanarayana, Tenali, Guntur District – Certain allegations against the Municipal Staff of Tenali Municipality for allowing unauthorized construction in the Municipality – Departmental Action initiated against Sri K.Lakshminarayana and others of Tenali Municipality, Guntur District under Rule-20 of APCS (CC&A), 1991 – Enquiry Conducted – Further action dropped against 7 C.O.s – Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 523 **Dated: 17-05-2018**

Read the following:

1. From the CDMA., Hyderabad, Lr.Roc.No.2769/2013/2-1, dt.03.07.2013 along with the orders dt.21.01.2013 of Hon'ble Lokayukta, in Complaint No.3024/2012/B2.
2. Govt.Memo.No.15471/L1/2013-1, dated.30.07.2013.
3. From the DTCP., Lr.Roc.No.8761/13/M2, dt.07.10.2013.
4. G.O.Rt.No.1547 to 1553, MA&UD (L1) Dept., dated.26.10.2013.
5. G.O.Rt.No.69 & 70 read with G.O.Ms.No.18, MA&UD (L1) Dept., dated:16.01.2014.
6. WSDs of Sri S.Venkata Krishna, the then MC, Sri K.Suvarna Raju, the then TPO, Sri J.D.Anand Kumar, TPS, Sri Ch.Venkateswerlu, TPS &TPO(i/c), Sri PV Raghava Rao, TPBO & Smt. Anuradha, then TPBO.
7. From the DMA., Lr.Roc.No.2760/2013-C2, dt. 26.10.2015.
8. G.O.Rt.No.788, MAUD (Vig.II-2) Dept. dt.17.12.2015.
9. G.O.Rt.No.791 & 792, MAUD (Vig.II) Dept., dated.18.12.2015.
10. From the Inquiry Officer & OSD, GIS, APMDP Project, Guntur, Letter dated:07.09.2017.
11. Govt.Memo.No.15471/Vig.II-2/2013, dated.16.11.2017.
12. Written Representations of Sri K.Lakshmi Narayana, the then MC (Retd.), Tenali, received through DMA., A.P., Guntur, Lr.RoC.No.2760/2013/C2, dt.18.01.2018.
13. Written Representation of Sri P.Raghava Rao, TPS, dt.01.03.2018.
14. Written Representations of Sri Ch.Venkateswarlu, TPO, and Smt. A.Anuradha, TPS, received through DTCP., A.P., Guntur, Lr.Roc.No.8761/13/M2, dt.29.03.2018.

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O R D E R:

Based on the Hon'ble Lokayukta, in its orders dt.21.1.2013 in complaint No.3024/2012/B2 on certain allegations against the Municipal Staff of Tenali Municipality for allowing unauthorized construction in the Municipality, the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Hyderabad while submitting the report has requested to initiate disciplinary action against the Municipal Commissioners and TPBOs, who have worked in Tenali Municipality during the period. Accordingly, Government have initiated disciplinary action against Sri K.Lakshminarayana and (7) others of Tenali Municipality, Guntur District by issuing Article of Charges under Rule-9 and 20 read with 24 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 vide reference 4th & 5th read above.

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2. In the reference 6th read above, WSDs were received from the charged officers. In the reference 7th read above, the Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur has submitted his remarks on the explanation of the Charged Officers.

3. In the reference 8th read above, keeping in view of the remarks of the Director of Municipal Administration that, unauthorised construction took place prior to joining of one of the Charged Officer Sri K.Suvarna Raju, TPO and he was transferred from Tenali to Gudiwada Municipality, the Governmant have examined the matter in detail and dropped further action against him.

4. In the reference 9th read above, Government have appointed the Enquiry Officer & Presenting Officer to enquire into the charges framed against the remaining seven (7) Charged Officers. In the reference 10th read above, the Inquiry Officer has furnished his enquiry report.

5. The Government have examined the Inquiry Report and accepted the report of the Enquiry Officer and communicated the same to the charged officers as required under Rules 21(2) of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991, and directed submit their written representation if any, on the Inquiry report to the Government within 15 days vide reference 11th read above.

6. In the references 12th & 14th read above, the Director of Municipal Administration / Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P., Guntur have furnished written representations of the Charged Officers Viz., (1) Sri K.Lakshmi Narayana, the then MC (Retd.), (2) Sri Ch.Venkateswarlu, TPO, and (3) Smt. A.Anuradha, TPS and in the reference 13th read above, Sri P.Raghava Rao, TPS has requested the Government to drop further action against him as the charges were not held proved against them.

7. Government after careful examination of the matter duly taking into consideration the grounds put forth in their representations, hereby decided to drop further action and exonerate them from the charges against the following officers, as all the charges are held not proved in the enquiry:

1) Sri K.Lakshminarayana, former MC (Retd.),
2) Sri S.Venkata Krishna, former MC,
3) Sri M.Harija Naik, former TPO,
4) Sri J.D.Ananda Kumar, former TPS,
5) Sri Ch.Venkaeswarlu, former TPS &TPO(I/c),
6) Sri P.V.Raghava Rao, former TPBO,
7) Sri A.Anuradha, former TPBO.

8. Accordingly, the Government hereby drop further action against the above seven (7) charged officers and fully exonerated from the charges.

9. The Director of Municipal Administration & Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P. Guntur shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri K.Lakshminarayana, former MC (Retd.),

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Sri S.Venkata Krishna, former MC,
(**through the Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur)**
Sri M.Harija Naik, former TPO,
Sri J.D.Ananda Kumar, former TPS,
Sri Ch.Venkaeswarlu, former TPS &TPO(I/c),
Sri P.V.Raghava Rao, former TPBO,
Sri A.Anuradha, former TPBO
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SECTION OFFICER.